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Re: Docket #98P-0203/CP

Dear FDA:

I am writing to urge you to make a decision to ban forced molting. Forced molting is cruel to the birds and increases the spread of Salmonella Enteritidis infection.

I urge you to grant the petition, filed under docket #98P-0203/CP.

Cruelty and unhealthy practices should not be allowed or promoted by the Food & Drug Administration.

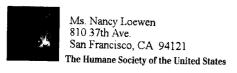
Thank you for your consideration. (I also urge you to make the transition to eating a vegetarian diet in order to keep yourself as healthy as possible!)

Sincerely,

Nancy Loewen

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